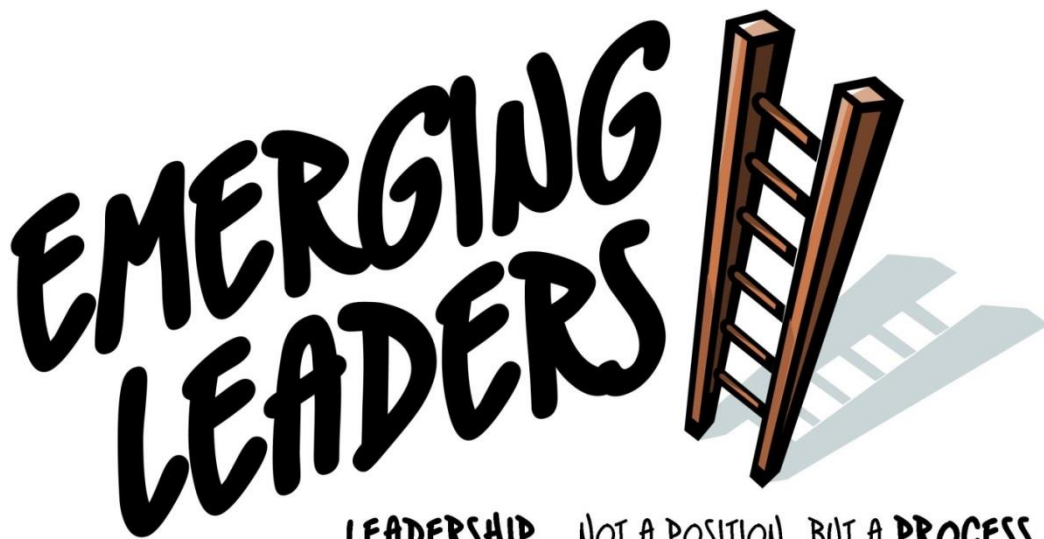




U.S. Embassy Algiers

Youth and Undergraduate Exchanges



LEADERSHIP... NOT A POSITION, BUT A PROCESS.



TechGirls

Each year, 25 TechGirls from the Middle East and North Africa join American students in an interactive technology and computer camp in Washington, D.C., to develop technical and leadership skills. As a TechGirl, you will explore fields such as programming, robotics, mobile app design, and 3D graphics through hands-on classes, team projects, visits to high-tech companies, and community service activities. You'll also design a community service project to implement in Algeria. Top technology company leaders will help you network with others and prepare you to compete in an often male-dominated field. The three-week experience inspires teenage girls to pursue careers in technology.

Applications Available: **December/January**

Requirements to Apply:

- 15-17 years old, with at least one semester of high school to complete after the program.
- Strong English skills.
- Demonstrated skills and serious interest in science, technology, engineering, and/or math in your studies and future career.





Algerian Youth Leadership Program (AYLP)

Join emerging leaders from around Algeria in Washington, D.C. and Reno, Nevada for a three-week, intensive workshop on civic education, leadership development, respect for diversity, and community engagement. You'll participate in leadership classes, community service activities, team-building exercises, meetings with community leaders, and a home-stay with an American family. AYLP seeks energetic applicants who want to use their new skills and knowledge to be effective leaders in their schools and communities.

Applications Available: **January/February**

Requirements to Apply:

- 15-17 years old, with at least one year of high school remaining before graduation.
- Strong English skills.
- Demonstrate leadership in school and/or community.





Between the Lines (BTL)

Do you like to write poetry or stories in Arabic and English?
“Between the Lines” invites young writers from Arabic-speaking countries to practice creative writing with American students during a two-week program at the University of Iowa – which has one of the most prestigious creative writing programs in the USA. Participants take classes in English and participate in writing workshops in Arabic with BTL professors.

Applications Available: **January**

Requirements to Apply:

- 16-19 years old.
- Proficiency in English and Arabic.
- Provide writing samples, including unique.
prose or poetry about an assigned topic.





English Access Microscholarship Program

The U.S. Embassy provides scholarships for bright teenagers from modest backgrounds to study English at language institutes in Algeria. As an Access student, you will attend special after-school, weekend, and intensive classes, for up to two years, and take part in fun cultural and community service activities. Access gives participants English skills that may lead to better jobs and educational opportunities, as well as the ability to participate in other cultural exchanges or study in the United States. Applications are accepted by our partner schools. For more information, contact PASAlgiersEnglish@state.gov.

Applications Available: **January/February**

Requirements to Apply:

- 13-20 years old (varies per school/class), but not taking the baccalaureate exam during the program.
- Very little or no English speaking ability, and no funds to take classes outside of public school.
- Motivation and interest in learning about American culture and the English language.





El Amel Project

Through “El Amel Project,” the U.S. Embassy and Berlitz provide free intensive language camps to students from modest backgrounds, age 17 to 25 years old, in Algiers and Oran during certain school vacations. El Amel campers study English in the morning, and then participate in clubs and fun activities in the afternoon. American guest speakers supplement the program. For more information, contact PASAlgiersEnglish@state.gov or info@berlitz.dz.





“Coca-Cola” Global Business Institute (GBI) Scholarship

The GBI is a fast-paced, intensive program that allows you to study for one month at Indiana University’s prestigious Kelley School of Business. GBI teaches entrepreneurial skills and prepares you to create your own plan to start a business. In addition to taking courses, you will visit Washington, D.C. and the Coca-Cola headquarters in Atlanta, Georgia. The Global Business Institute is a collaboration between the U.S. Department of State and the Coca-Cola Company.

Applications Available: **February/March**

Requirements to Apply:

- 18-24 years old, undergraduates preferred.
- Fluent in English.
- Open to students in all fields of study.





Study of the United States Institutes (SUSI) ***Global Student Leaders Program***

“SUSI Student Leaders” is a five- to six-week American studies and leadership seminar for undergraduates from around the world that takes place on university campuses throughout the USA. As a SUSI Student Leader, you will take leadership training, collaborate on team projects, and practice communication and management skills. You’ll also participate in cultural activities, community service activities, and a one-week study tour to broaden your understanding of the United States.

Applications Available: **November/December**

Requirements to Apply:

- 18-25 years old with at least one year left before graduating with first *license* or *diplôme*.
- Proficient in English.
- Demonstrated leadership and a strong interest in the United States.





Global UGRAD Scholarship

Do you dream of a semester abroad in the USA? You can apply to study for a semester (or an academic year, as available) through the Global UGRAD program. UGRAD places successful applicants at accredited U.S. colleges and universities, where you will take courses, develop academic study skills, engage in local community service projects, and participate in cultural enrichment activities.

Applications Available: **November**

Requirements to Apply:

- 18-25 years old with at least one year left before graduating with first *license* or *diplôme*.
- Proficient in English.
- Demonstrated leadership and strong interest in the United States.

EducationUSA

If you want to study in the United States, EducationUSA helps you understand and complete the application process to a U.S. college or university. EducationUSA offers you accurate, comprehensive, and current information about how students can apply for bachelor's, master's and Ph.D. degree programs, as well as short-term English language programs. To learn more, first visit:

www.EducationUSA.state.gov.

If you're ready to explore the application process, then

www.EducationUSA.state.gov/Your-5-Steps-US-Study will help you navigate the steps. For additional information or specific questions, email EducationUSA-Algiers@state.gov.



Middle East Partnership Institute (MEPI)

Student Leaders Program

The MEPI Student Leaders Program offers a five-week study opportunity in the USA for talented university students. You will live on a college campus and attend lectures, roundtable discussions, and site visits with academics and civic leaders. You'll also engage in local community service activities and discover the rich, diverse culture of the United States. Preference is given to applicants from modest backgrounds.

Applications Available: **December/January**

Requirements to Apply:

- 19-24 years old with at least one year left before graduating with first *license* or *diplôme*.
- Proficient in English.
- Demonstrated maturity, flexibility and leadership potential.
- Strong interest in the USA and commitment to civic engagement.





Middle East Partnership Institute (MEPI) ***Tomorrow's Leaders Scholarship Program***

With Tomorrow's Leaders, you can earn a full, four-year scholarship for an undergraduate degree at a U.S.-accredited university in the Middle East – currently the American University in Cairo (AUC), Lebanese American University (LAU), or the American University of Beirut (AUB). The program seeks talented high school graduates from modest backgrounds with the energy and drive to become tomorrow's leaders in community, business, and government. As a Tomorrow's Leader, you will also receive civics-based training and internship opportunities, and you will spend a semester abroad in the USA.

Applications Available: **November/December**

Requirements to Apply:

- No specific age, but generally senior in high school or first year university student.
- Strong academic credentials.
- Proficiency in English with valid TOEFL test score.
- Demonstrated maturity, flexibility, and leadership potential.





GoodtoKnow

- Programs are for Algerian citizens or permanent residents living in Algeria with little or no prior travel to the USA. U.S. citizens, including dual citizens, are not eligible.
- Applications are open for short periods. Check our website often, and don't miss the deadline!
- See our website for program changes and updated requirements. Watch our Facebook page for additional opportunities.
- Plagiarism (*plagiat*) in any form will disqualify your application.

For more information:

<http://www.exchanges.state.gov>

http://algiers.usembassy.gov/academic_exchanges.html

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Best of luck!